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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Official Action of June 3, 2010.

The following items are submitted herewith:

- A payment in the amount of \$540.00 for the payment of the appeal fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 41.20 (b)(1).
 - A Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review is being filed concurrently herewith.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

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